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1. EMBASSY RANGOON ENCOURAGED TO NOTE DEFMIN DAWEE'S ASSURANCE TO AMBASSADOR KINTNER THAT CHAIRMAN NE WIN KNOWS OF DAWEE'S

SUPPORT FOR INCREASED RTG EFFORTS TO REDUCE OR REMOVE CERTAIN MAJOR OBSTACLES (REF A). SINCE WHAT NE WIN KNOWS MAY NOT NECESSARILY BE KNOWN TO OTHER GUB OFFICIALS, IT WAS HELPFUL THAT THAI POLICE DIRECTOR GENERAL PRACHUAB MADE PUBLIC STATEMENT ON RTG'S INTENTION TO PUT CRIMP IN GUNS-FOR-NARCOTICS TRADE (REF B). WE HAVE MADE COPIES OF BANGKOK POST REPORT AVAILABLE TO GUB OFFICIALS.

2. EMBASSY ALSO HAS NOTED WITH SATISFACTION BANGKOK DCM MASTERS' COMMENTS TO DAWEE (REF A) AND OTHER RTG OFFICIALS ON OBSTACLES TO GUB-RTG COOPERATION IN NARCOTICS MATTERS. HOPEFULLY THESE VIEWSWILL CARRY SPECIAL WEIGHT SINCE THEY WERE DERIVED FROM GUB OFFICIALS TO WHOM MASTERS TALKED SECRET

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